



## Department of Fire Services Commonwealth of Massachusetts Cigarette Fire Investigation Checklist

On January 1, 2008, fire standard compliant (FSC) cigarettes became the law in Massachusetts. The State Fire Marshal has asked the State Police Commander of the Fire Investigation Unit to make it unit policy to determine, whenever possible, if cigarettes involved in fires were fire standard compliant or not. Local fire chiefs are asked to adopt similar policies locally. This information is considered most probable based on the initial results of the investigation.

**If possible, attach of copy of the fire department's MA Fire Incident Report (MFIRS).**

**Fire Date:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fire Time:** \_\_\_\_\_ **FDID #** \_\_\_\_\_

MM/DD/YYYY

HH:MM (24 hr.)

**Incident #:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fire Location:** \_\_\_\_\_  
#, Street, Town

**Casualties:**

	<b>Civilian</b>	<b>Fire Service</b>
Injuries	_____	_____
Deaths	_____	_____

<b>Brand</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>FSC Cigarette?</b>	<b>How Involved in Ignition</b>
Marlboro	Light	Yes	Fell Asleep
Camel	Menthol	No	Improper Disposal
Winston	Non Filter	Unknown	Smoking on O2
Kool	Regular		Other _____
Newport	100s		
Other	_____		

**Store location where cigarettes purchased?** \_\_\_\_\_

Store name / Town

**FIU Case #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Report by:** \_\_\_\_\_

Rank, Name, Department or Agency

Return completed checklist to Fire Data Unit by:

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